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Sachi A. Hamai N Chief Executive Officer

REQUEST FOR SECOND EXTENSION: COUNTYWIDE LOCAL WORKER HIRE POLICY (ITEM NO. 47-A, AGENDA OF FEBRUARY 9, 2016)

On February 9, 2016, as part of the approval of the Homeless Initiative, the Board directed the Chief Executive Officer, working with County Counsel and the Director of Public Works, to develop a Countywide local worker hire policy for Board approval in 30 days that, to the extent possible, applies to all capital projects undertaken as part of the Homeless Initiative, as well as County construction projects with a project budget greater than \$2,500,000 and that, among other things, mandates that a minimum percentage of all hours be performed by disadvantaged workers including, e.g. homeless or formerly homeless individuals, veterans and former foster youth.

On March 9, 2016, this Office requested a 90-day extension to complete the necessary analysis regarding the data that can be used to form the basis for "local" worker under the proposed Countywide policy. Since then, this Office, working in conjunction with County Counsel and Public Works, has discussed the parameters and options of the proposed Countywide policy with Board deputies on April 12, 2016 and May 24, 2016. With the feedback received, additional time will be needed to complete and finalize the draft policy. Therefore, we are requesting a 30-day extension and will submit the draft policy by July 8, 2016.

Should you have any questions regarding this request, please contact David Howard at (213) 893-2477, or dhoward@ceo.lacounty.gov.

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